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AN OLD FEUD.

Partners Cannot Settle
Their DisputesIN ANY OTHER WAY THAN BY
RESORTING TO WEAPONS.One Receives a Bullet Wound
and the Other Lies
in Jail.

Didn't Know he was Shot.

J. C. Harlow shot Ernest Carstens yesterday on Twenty-third avenue near East Twelfth street, in East Oakland, and Carstens did not know until a policeman told him that he had been struck by the bullet.

Harlow and Carstens were partners in a coal yard near Twenty-third avenue over a year ago. They lost money and separated, and there has been bad feeling between them ever since. The men met at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Carstens says that Harlow shouted across the street for him to stop, and as he shouted, he drew a revolver and fired two shots, one of which struck Carstens in the side.

Harlow says that Carstens had attacked him three times, and that he carried the revolver for protection. Carstens, he says, had frequently threatened his life. When the men met, Carstens the latter crossed the street, coming toward him, and feeling in his pockets. Thinking he had a knife or a revolver, Harlow says he fired in self-defense.

Policeman Noddeman heard the shots and arrived on the scene just as Harlow fired the second, which went wild. He placed the man under arrest and started toward the City Prison with him, Carstens following. When they got a car Noddeman noticed the hole in Carstens' coat and remarked, "Hello! that fellow struck you." Carstens looked at the hole in surprise and said that it was the first he knew of it. Harlow was locked in the tanks, and Carstens had a deep flesh wound dressed by the City Physician. Harlow will plead self defense.

George Perkins, who works for the California Sash and Door Company, West Oakland, caught his hand in a sticker and had half his ring finger of the left hand cut off and the middle and little fingers badly lacerated. He was treated at the receiving hospital. Perkins lives at 1669 1/2 Eighth street.

The holding up of trains is getting to be an epidemic again. The remedy does not appear to be strong enough for quick action on the patient. When a man robs a train it should be considered that he had passed a death sentence upon himself and the public should see that the sentence was carried out in a jiffy.

Mr. Walter M. Heywood had his house gladdened yesterday by the advent of a fine girl baby. It was a Christmas present from his wife. You would think to see him that the world was hardly large enough to hold him. It was ever thus in childhood's joy.

Thomas Bailey Aldrich, the poet and story writer, author of "Baby Bell" and "Mangy Daw" has been left a fortune of \$200,000 by the late Henry L. Pierce of Boston.

It seems a little singular that Hon. Samuel J. Tilden who had the reputation of being the best lawyer in the United States was not able to make his own will sufficiently strong to stand the law.

The case of Louis Sullivan, was called in Justice Lord's Court yesterday before a jury secured for the purpose. The evidence was not sufficient to convict and the jury found a verdict of not guilty.

Mrs. Mary Palmer, daughter of John Davis of the Seven Mile House, who has been visiting Berkeley for some weeks, left for home yesterday.

A marriage license has been issued to George Frederick Smith of Berkeley aged 26, and Laura Spafford McCracken of Oakland, aged 22.

Mrs. T. E. Knox of Livermore is visiting her father, John Squires of North Berkeley.

Mrs. F. Knight got on the train this morning for the purpose of going to L. Dorado.

DR. WENDTE

Will Not be Refused Admission to the
Ministerial Union.

The Attack on Wendte.

It is not deemed probable that the Ministerial Union will refuse to admit Rev. Dr. Charles W. Wendte to full membership. It is true that his admission is being opposed very strongly, but from the expression of the members it seems clear that the majority of them are in favor of his admission. The matter will come before the next meeting in the shape of a committee report and the first test vote will be taken. The clergymen in dispute is not taking an active part in the matter himself, but his friends are working hard for him. There are many in the union who do not agree with his theology who are glad to meet him as a scholar.

The attempt to shut him out is one of the most remarkable incidents in the history of the organization and is liable to be productive of some bitter feelings.

The Ecclesia, or Young Ladies' Debating Society of the High school has selected Miss Hoyt, Miss Davis and Miss Freider to debate with the Forum, which is the boys' society, at the beginning of next term. The debate will be held in American hall on January 21st.

President Cleveland has signed the urgent Efficiency Appropriation bill, which carries the naval appropriation up to June 30, 1897. This will enable work at the different departments to be performed as emergency demands.

Thomas Jones of Durant avenue and Fenth street has erected a flagstaff 75 feet high in front of his premises and will dedicate it on Christmas day by running up the stars and stripes. It is patriotic and the event is duly chronicled.

Bancroft's Store on Center street is known as the principal place in Berkeley for school supplies. In addition he has such a varied assortment that it would take all of the columns of a newspaper to enumerate. Visit his place of business and see how he has decorated for the holidays.

We understand that the partnership of Patterson & Vollmer at North Berkeley has been dissolved. Mr. Patterson having purchased the interest of his partner will conduct the business in his own name in the future.

Mrs. Young, who met with an accident a couple weeks ago on the Berkeley local train at Dwight way, is said to be suffering from a partial paralysis on the right side of her face and her right leg is numb.

The alumni of the Woodland High School, attending the University, has gone home to play the Woodland High School a game of football tomorrow.

County Clerk Jordan and Deputy Mason, with Expert Fred Davis, are at work on the annual financial statement of the county.

It is estimated that the expense of carrying on the State Government for the next two years will be very near \$11,000,000.

This is about the time of year when marriages, divorces, and other good resolutions are entered into by the masses.

A masquerade ball to be given under the auspices of the Harmony Club, in Sisterna Hall, will take place on New Year's eve.

There will be a grand organ recital in St. Joseph's Church tomorrow. Mr. Eddy, a noted organist, will preside.

The Berkeley League of the Cross will give a Christmas entertainment in St. Joseph's Church next Sunday.

Frank Mitchell of Oxford street, North Berkeley, left this morning for San Luis Obispo.

Mrs. Acheson has gone to Los Angeles to visit her friends.

Tracy Crawford left this morning for Davisville.

Beverly Hathaway and his sister left yesterday for Loh.

Mr. G. Allen has gone to Virginia city on business.

Mrs. R. T. Coll and daughter left yesterday for Woodland.

There will be a Christmas cantata at the Friends church this evening.

James Ferris has gone to Los Angeles to spend the holidays with his folks.

Frank Paiche left this morning for Ripon.

BOYD TROUBLED

Sadly in Need of a Cold
BathHE IMPLORES THE TRUSTEES TO
FURNISH A PUBLIC TROUGHIn Which he Can Wade and Wallow
and Still Cost him
Nothing.

Water's the Matter.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—And it came to pass in these days that the men who were carriers of goods did murmur and say one to another: "What manner of rulers have we that they will not place a watering trough in our city where our beasts of burden may slake their thirst and there arise a certain man whose name was Boyd surnamed John and did say unto the multitude; have ye no sand, fear not to demand that our rulers do place a watering trough near the station called Berkeley that our old crows may refresh themselves with the water from the fountains, for verily I say unto you, though our rulers and wise men have proclaimed what we shall have no five-cent beer joints in the sacred soil of East Berkeley let us hope that their hearts may be moved with compassion and that they may grant our wish. And the multitude did say with a loud voice, good for you, which pleased him greatly, and he did speak unto them saying: Behold men of Berkeley, I will—henceforth to the Chief Counselor, (for lo and behold he had much silver and gold and was a hard money man) and will say unto him I pray thee give us water for our beasts of burden lest they perish by the wayside. But lo and behold when he did appear before the wise men of Berkeley and stated the wishes of the multitude.

The wise men smote their bosoms and did exclaim, "Holy Moses! thou fool, dost thou not know that the Town Counselors have paid unto the tribes known as the Alameda Water Co. and the Contra Costa Water Co., sums of coin, and we are afraid that the taxpayers will arise in their might and say 'begone you useless servants, you have wasted our shekels of gold and shekels of silver, and your name is mud.' But the messenger again did say in a loud voice, "Oh, wise men of Berkeley, give us a watering trough lest our beasts perish with thirst." But the Chief Ruler said, "Silence, thou fool, dost thou not know that there is drawn from the treasury nearly one thousand dollars each and every month to pay the officers of our city and now the wise men have almost decided to put the poundmaster on the salary list. How then think you that we can have our minds disturbed by your silly talk about a watering trough—go to, and water your beasts when it rains! And the messenger did him himself down to the saloons at the West End and got "high" and did cry out in a loud voice, "Thousands for salaries, but not one piece of silver for watering troughs."

JOHN E. BOYD.

Don't Forget.

That in order to have a happy Christmas there must be candy and ice cream, and at Greenwood's Candy Parlor you will find everything in this line to suit your taste. A full line of baskets, boxes, etc., for young and old. Don't forget that our prices are as low as Oakland and San Francisco and our goods better.

St. Mark's Church, Bancroft way, between Dana and Ellsworth streets, tomorrow—Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; morning service, sermon, and Holy Communion at 11 a. m.; special music by the full vested choir.

The Unitarians of Berkeley last evening gave a farewell reception to their pastor, Rev. E. B. Payne, who will retire from the pastorate next Sunday.

Frank Argall who has been at Grass Valley for the past week will return on Saturday to join the University Glee and String club which leaves here on Sunday for a Southern tour.

J. E. Orr, who came down from Yuba City to attend the Meridian Little wedding, returned home last evening.

Newcrop of dates just received at Gillman's.

THE DIFFERENCE.

Snow Storms and sunshine in the East.

The Difference.

Heavy snow storms are reported throughout New England and the Middle States. Railway traffic is interfered with and naturally business of all kinds receives a temporary check. In California although in mid-winter, the fields are being plowed for the coming crops. Trees have commenced to bud, and the flowers well we grow flowers the whole year around. Temperature is cool enough to be bracing and warm enough to make things grow. There is quite a difference and we are thankful for it.

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John Murray, the popular proprietor of the Golden Gate resort at the depot has entirely renovated this place. A handsome new bar and fixtures now adorn the inside while a complete new floor has been placed in position, and everything is up to date. The tafe next door has been enlarged and two handsome private rooms for those waiting for the trains may have refreshments.

At St. Mark's Tonight.

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The church has been most beautifully decorated and the congregation will celebrate Christmas two weeks before or a week after, but on the day itself. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

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WIRED SERMONS.

Telephoned Words Be-
come ElectrifiedA BERKELEY MAN'S IDEA OF CON-
VEYING SPIRITUAL WISDOM.Soothing Sentiments Sought and
Supplied Severally to Sick
Suppliants.

By telephone.

W. C. Gunn, a student of the San Anselmo Theological Seminary, has introduced the telephone in connection with pulpit oratory for the purpose of giving invalids confined to their homes the benefit of the discourse of their clergymen. Mr. Gunn is staying with his relatives, the Patch family, at Shattuck avenue and Allston way. There are two invalids in the family who are members of the First Presbyterian Church, of which the Rev. Dr. H. A. Ketchum is pastor. So that the invalids may hear their pastor without leaving their rooms, Mr. Gunn has placed at the edge of Mr. Ketchum's pulpit a large transmitter, which is connected with a telephone in the Patch residence where each invalid has a receiver. Upon Christmas day they may sit in their chairs or recline in their beds and with the receivers to their ears listen to the music of the choir in the church and hear every word of the preacher's discourse.

In speaking yesterday of his scheme, Mr. Gunn said:

"There is no danger about the telephone not catching every word of the sermon. The preacher can stand at least six feet away and yet be perfectly heard; and as for the singing, that is sure to be transmitted. I have been wondering whether the success of the new device might not keep people home from church. Of course the scheme can become of general use. Every church may have its telephone transmitter connected with a central office and when persons who have telephones in their homes cannot go to church they can ring up central and ask to be connected with the pulpit of their favorite pastor. If I were the minister I should insist that each hearer be compelled to drop a nickel before being allowed to hear the sermon. This would answer the purpose of passing around the contribution plate."

Christmas Services.

The Sunday school of the First Presbyterian Church on the corner of Allston way and Ellsworth street, has arranged its programme for a Christmas service next Sunday night. In addition to the usual hymns, prayers and addresses there will be Christmas songs and recitations. Myrtle Richardson will recite "The Newsboy's Prayer," and Edith Russell will sing "The Birthday of the King." A recitation by Miss C. Body, "The First Christmas," and a song, "Oh, Wondrous Night," by the Misses Cowpenhwaite, Warren, Pack, Ketchum and McCoy, will follow. Rev. H. A. Ketchum, the pastor will extend Christmas greetings to the school.

Give the Preacher a Chance.

A man has put machinery in operation so that an invalid can hear a minister preach on the Sabbath, without having to go out of his room. The suggestion is thrown out that the preacher use a phonograph. Let him place it on the pulpit in close proximity to a receiver which the congregation can be connected with by a wire to their residences. The sexton can set it in operation and the minister will have an opportunity to stay at home as well as his parishioners. As to the junior, well, we will arrange that in another item.

Just Enough.

The GAZETTE man in his endeavor to fill up the last column wishes to acknowledge the receipt of a large number of Christmas presents from various friends of the paper and its working element, besides the turkeys, chickens, ducks, squashes, dried apples, glass fruits, cigars, one-sixth dozen pipe, small beer, tooth-picks, hair brush and comb, a straper for the cellar door, some agricultural reports, there are several small articles still desirable, but modestly forbids going further into details as the foreman says, "that's enough."

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The gifts were entirely unexpected by the recipients and in reply to the kind words said by the donors on the presentation, Principal Warnick and Miss Hamlin expressed their gratefulness with words that were choked with emotion.

The Oakland.

Mahara's Minstrels drew a big house at the Oakland last evening and they had an enthusiastic reception. The performance is really a most melodious one. The humor is crisp and fresh, the singing good and the special features good; the minstrels will continue through the week, and the indications are that they will play to standing room only. There will be a Christmas matinee Friday, with a present for every child under twelve years of age.

A Consulting Board.

It has been found out recently that Secretary of the Navy Herbert has had a meeting with a Consulting Board of naval officers to consult about matters pertaining to the department. The press has made much out of it, but there is nothing new concerning the method, as it has often been practiced before.

A Thirty-mile Streak.

An electric current was transmitted yesterday over the Central Electric Company wires from Newcastle to Sacramento the distance being thirty miles. It is reported to have worked successfully. The power at Newcastle is furnished from the reservoirs of the Spitskuba Water Company. Five current turned on amounted to 15,000 volts.

Tariff Changes.

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At North Berkeley.

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This shows how necessary it is to have watchmen in different parts of the town. There is no knowing what might have occurred if an officer had not been on hand just at this time. North Berkeley is fortunate in having an officer who has had previous experience in looking after the criminal element. The residents of that portion of the town knowing that they have a competent and reliable officer should give him a good support.

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AT THE TRACK.

A List of the Winners of the Race Track
Yesterday

Yesterday's Races.

There were six events on the cards at the Oakland Trotting Park, and despite the cloudy weather the attendance was fair and the sport good. The races and results were:

First race, 2 of a mile, purse \$300.—H. F. 8 to 1, first; America, 40 to 1, second; Mr. Roy, 6 to 5, third. Time 1:15 3/4.

Second race, 3 of a mile, purse \$350.—Sly, 4 to 1, first; Rita H., 6 to 1, second; Resdatura, 3 to 5, third. Time 1:15 3/4.

Third race, 1 1/2 miles, purse \$350.—Judge Dennis, 5 to 4, first; Earl Cochran, 15 to 1, second; Camelia, 10 to 1, third. Time 1:49 1/2.

Fourth race, 1 mile, purse \$400.—Lobengula, 5 to 1, first; Alvarado, 4 to 5, second; Cabrillo, 15 to 1, third. Time 1:42 1/4.

Fifth race, hurdle handicap, 1 1/2 miles, purse \$400.—Three Forks, 6 to 5, first; Huntsman, 6 to 1, second; Armand, 12 to 1, third. Time 1:51 1/2.

Sixth race, 5/8 of a mile, purse \$420.—Women, 2 to 1, first; Montgomery, 5 to 1, second; Quicksilver, 5 to 1, third. Time 1:01 1/2.

The weights of the Baldwin Hotel handicap, at one mile, value \$1500, to be run on Saturday this week, have been announced as follows: Sweet Favorable, 100 pounds; Mount McGregor H., 115; Caspar, 90; Candalaria, 90; Kingstreet, 90; General Arthur, 85; B. & W. 87; Salisbury II, 107; Libertine, 115; West Dance, 102; India, 90; Redskin, 105; California, 95; Buckwa, 100; Ap- plause, 100; Yanket Doodle, 100; Scarf, 100; Abundant, 95; Preston, 118; Car- lise, 115; Salvable, 108; Damien, 103; Trappeau, 100; Victor, 116; Instigator, 100; Peter H., 95; Nebuchadnezzar, 100; Insurgator, 90; Don Colorado, 95; Insurgator III, 85; Wheel of Fortune, 112; Gramman, 105; Thornhill, 100; Johnny McHale, 97; Assignee, 110; Merry Mon- arch, 98; Lobengula, 100; Sir Play, 108; Strathmeath, 102; Walter J, 96; Cash Day, 112; Casarion, 107; Sister Mary, 107; Lucky Dog, 102; St. Lee, 100; All Over, 100; Service, 100; Crescendo, 105; Dura, 85; Dulore, 85; Salvation, 107; Senator Grady, 110; Ruinart, 108; Don Carillo, 100; Aquinas, 95; Logan, 100; Rapino, 110; Altrapahoe, 105; Argentina, 105; Cabrillo, 100; Gruffy, 86.

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\$10 Reward.

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NO GAZETTE TOMORROW

In order to give the employees of this paper an opportunity to enjoy the Christmas festivities, there will be no GAZETTE issued tomorrow—Christmas Day.

CHRISTMAS GREETING.

Be times hard or prosperous the glad season of Christmas-tide comes always with joyous hopes and inspiration with the kindest and happiest instincts of human nature called into full play. Hearts are open to the most generous and sympathetic tendencies and then come to the lives of the rich and poor alike, to the happy and unhappy, to the religious enthusiast as well as to the ungodly and sinful, deeper realizations of that altruism with which the birth of Christ blessed the world. The good are better and the worst show in some measure the uplifting tendencies of the season. The memories of once happy days are conjured up and call out a joyous response, the struggles and hardships of life are forgotten and anxieties of existence are for a time, at least, pushed out of sight. This year, perhaps to very many more than is usual, has had its share of difficulties and trials, of failures and misfortunes, but notwithstanding it closes with a healthier tone, a more encouraging outlook and with reviving spirits. The distrust is disappearing that has hung depressingly over the country for several years past, and the gloom and despair have given place to confidence and determination. The year has been one of progress. In the country has passed through a critical period and in the triumph of the better cause, the nation has gained strength and stability. The wisdom of the founders of our government has received a fresh vindication and a higher appreciation of the rich inheritance received by us has been awakened. We have risen to greater eminence among the great powers and are a factor to be considered in the politics of the world. California, too, has much to be thankful for. Farmers have received a more adequate return for their labors, the mines are yielding to more economical and more scientific remedies which would cure consumption, Bright's disease, inflammatory rheumatism and other serious ills.

There are, then, for us abundant sources for rejoicing and thankfulness and we can enter with hearts full of tenderness and kindness for all upon the festivities of a Merry Christmas. May they be bright and happy for all our readers and full of peace and pleasure to all the world. May everyone—the poor and unfortunate, most of all—have some participation in the joy and gladness of the prosperous and may "God bless us all," said Tiny Tim.

IS DISEASE CONQUERED?

A singular experiment is now being tried at Los Angeles. Dr. Thos. Powell says the treatment he is receiving was discovered by him. He found out the laws, limitations and requirements of the living organism and learned the way in which nutrition is effected. The knowledge thus obtained of the underlying principals of vital economy, had given him the key to immunity as well as simple and efficacious remedies which would cure consumption, Bright's disease, inflammatory rheumatism and other serious ills.

The doctor has been inoculated with tuberculosis in his right arm and abdomen and diphtheria in his arm. On inspection there was found on his left arm a red spot about the size of a dime, where an abrasion had been made for application of tuberculosis bacilli. The abrasion was apparently healing and bore the appearance of a well developed vaccination. On the right arm only such a mark as might be made by the prick of a pin shown where the diphtheria germs had entered. In the right side of his abdomen was a similar pin prick made by a hypodermic needle, but around this there was a slight discoloration caused by the fact that the sputum of the consumptive patient had to be deluged in order to allow its passage through a syringe. About a dozen doctors are in attendance and watching all the symptoms of the experiment. The scientific world is awaiting the result of this treatment with considerable anxiety.

CENTRAL AMERICA

President Cleveland has received and accepted the credentials of Senor Rodriguez, the first Minister of the Greater Republic of Central America, which is composed of the Governments of Honduras, Nicaragua and Salvador. The Senor is accredited, as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the Greater Republic of Central America. This is the beginning of that practical work of consolidating Central and South American States for which the Hon. James G. Blaine laid the foundation.

ON THE PLATFORM.

William J. Bryan, late candidate for the Presidency, has gone on a stirring tour. He opened at Atlanta, Georgia, last evening to a full house. The silver question seems to have gone out of his mind. He is young yet and has time to improve his knowledge on various public matters which will be of value to him if he intends to run for office again.

CAMERON'S RESOLUTIONS.

As the days go by and the opposition to the Cameron Cuban resolutions has an opportunity to build up its strength, it begins to look as if they will stand a narrow chance of passing the Senate. There will certainly be a determined fight against them. It may prove that they were put up for the purpose of being knocked down when the proper time comes for doing so.

A Better Judge.

Mr. Gotrois—And so you are the noble fellow who rescued my wife from in front of the trolley car at the risk of your life? Take this quarter, my hero, man, as an expression of our undying regard.

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Black figured silk waists with ruffled front and striped collar \$4.00 and \$3.00.

Black silk waists \$3.50 to \$7.50.

Black silk suits consisting of skirt and waist \$13.50, \$12.00, \$10.00 and \$7.50.

Black silk suits separate \$5.50, \$4.00 and \$3.50 each.

Black wool skirts \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00 and \$8.00 each, according to the quality and style.

Black undershirts made of heavy chambray fabric \$2.50 each.

Black undershirts made of light chambray fabric \$2.00 each.

Black undershirts made of fine chambray fabric \$2.50 each.

Black undershirts made of extra fine chambray fabric \$3.00 each.

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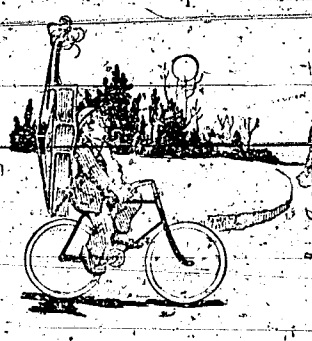
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The Vision of the Fairies.



SLUMBER SONG.

Slumber, slumber, little one, now
The bird is asleep in his nest on the bough.
The bird is asleep in his nest on the bough.
And over him softly the dream fairy sings:
Lullaby, lullaby, lullaby!
Pearls in the deep,
Stars in the sky,
Dreams in our sleep,
So, lullaby!

Slumber, slumber, little one, now
The stars are the pearls that the dream fairy
knows.
The stars are the pearls, and the bird in the
nest.
A dear little fellow, the fairies love best.
Lullaby, lullaby, lullaby!
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— F. D. Sherman in Ladies' Home Journal.

TIME FOUND HER OUT

He loved her. He meant to tell her so,
and the moment for doing so had come.
The fluttering golden head was very near, and
a few words had been spoken, when the
door opened, and Ella Stanton entered.
A frown clouded the brow of Dr.
Ralph Stanton, the eminent young physi-
cian who everybody declared would make
his fortune in his profession, and who
proudly Nellie Saville, glad to
hide her flushed cheeks from her cousin's
jealous eyes.
Mrs. Stanton threw herself languidly
into the depths of an easy chair. "So I
have found you at last, my dear Ralph.
I have been seeking you for the last
hour."

He hated this woman in spite of her
dark, witching beauty. His uncle had
found that beauty irresistible and, by a
late marriage, which his nephew of the
quarter of a century ago had thought
him to expect would end his life.
"What did you want with me?" he
asked curtly.

"You are cross. I wanted your society—
nothing more. Is there anything
strange in that?"

"Most flattering of you, my dear
aunt."

It was Mrs. Stanton's turn to frown.
"Don't call me by that hateful name.
If I did marry your uncle, you might re-
member that I am not yet 25. By the
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"Indeed?"

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